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## LADIES' AUXILIARY AMERICAN LEGION FOR HANCOCK COUNTY

State Officials Organize Wives, Mothers, Sisters and Daughters—Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois Elected President—To Meet Next Wednesday Night at 8 O'clock.

Thursday night, at the courthouse, from over the county came Legionnaires; their wives, mothers, sisters and daughters to listen to the high officers in the state and to become a member of the organization. Present were Mrs. Julienne, state president and national chairman of Paris Parade committee; Mrs. Lowry, state chairman Poppy sale; Mrs. Everts, state historian; Luther Maples, state vice-commander. Interesting address made by each. Uncommon interest was manifested by eighteen members of Auxiliary at this, the first meeting which is a record deserving of high commendation. A president, only, was elected Thursday night. This honor was bestowed upon Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois, whose able leadership assures the success of the Auxiliary in Hancock county. There will be a meeting of the Auxiliary next Wednesday night at 8 p.m. at the courthouse for the election of other officers and final arrangements of charter. These matters must be arranged before the 10th, in order to have accredited delegates to state convention at Greenville on July 18-19-20. All mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of Legionnaires are urged to attend Wednesday's meeting. Mrs. Everts, state historian, will return to officially install officers.

The Auxiliary is the right arm of the Legion. They work hand in hand for a common cause. The two comprise a membership of over a million. The auxiliary maintained numerous relief headquarters throughout the flood area. Besides raising a large, statewide relief fund; constant and personal attention to refugees. There was a total of a half train-load of supplies and food, as well as several thousand dollars. Subsequent to this, supplies have been coming in from chapters from over the United States in large quantities. The Auxiliary is one of the outstanding organizations of the world and one may well be proud to be a member.

## TO CELEBRATE 4TH WITH BARBECUE AND PUBLIC SPEAKING

Hancock and Harrison Counties Will Consolidate in General Campaign Rally on Banks Wolf River—In Vicinity Seller's Line School.

The glorious Fourth will be duly celebrated by the good people in the vicinity of Sellers, embracing that territory on both sides of the Hancock-Harrison county line, with an old-time picnic and barbecue. There will be a candidates' rally, to which aspirants for political preferment from both counties will be expected to be present, and the management assures all equal rights to the speakers' platform. Governor Theo. G. Bilbo has been invited to present. The rally will take place on the banks of Wolf river, one mile east of the Sellers' Consolidated school, Poplarville-Gulfport highway, on the best picnic spots in that neck of the woods. Every assurance is given there will be plenty to eat and drink, and the public will be well taken care of. The management says: "Come one, come all. Let's make the candidates feel that we are not going to forget them."

## Prof. Malcolm Gillis Resigns

Although reappointed as principal of Central High school for next session, in recognition of his splendid work, Prof. Malcolm Gillis has tendered his resignation to the city Board of Trustees for the reason he will do special university study next year, specializing in mathematics and will study his degree. His leaving is noted with regret. Prof. Gillis has helped to bring the school up to its present high standard and he was particularly popular with the student body. Outside of the classroom he was interested in athletics and coached the different teams to many victories.

## Holmes Fights Freight Rate

An order has been made by the Interstate Commerce Commission, at Washington, suspending an increase in freight rates on grain into the Mississippi Valley until December 28th. The increase was to take effect June 1st. This will give the forces opposed to the raise six months in which to marshal their data to defeat the increase permanently. The Railroad Commission recently held a conference at Meridian with representatives of farmers in Mississippi and drew up a protest against the increase in rates. Mr. Holmes says he is confident that when a hearing is given on the matter by the I. C. C., the increase will be denied. He is already gathering information from various sources to be used in the hearing. The McComb City Enterprise.

## GIGANTIC LAND DEAL IS ON TAPIS TO GO OVER BIG

Pine Hills and Pass Christian Isles to Be Linked in Contemplated Project—Hotel and Land Deal, Proposed, Biggest Proposition Yet.

The largest Gulf Coast hotel and land deal of the year is likely to be completed and announced in a few days. It involves the Pine Hills hotel and residential park and the immense development at Pass Christian Isles, where a magnificent hotel also will be erected. It is known that most of the agreements have been made and there does not seem any probability of a hitch. A similar deal was initiated several weeks ago but was dropped. A few days ago conferences were renewed upon a basis more satisfactory to both sides.

Pine Hills is owned entirely by New Orleans capital, which bought and further developed the attractive area and erected one of the finest resort hotels on the coast. The place attracted some of the wealthiest golfers and pleasure-seekers of the country and was said to have been on a paying basis when it closed for the summer in accord with the policy of maintaining its exclusive character. J. L. Onorato and Harry Lattier, local attorneys who had a large part in organizing the proposition, represent the Pine Hills company in the real estate phase of the transaction in progress. The entire enterprise is required a \$2,000,000 investment.

Pass Christian Isles, at Henderson Point, is almost in sight of Pine Hills and is being developed into one of the finest residential resort sections in the country. It is being handled by the Johness Realty and Securities company, of Gulfport, with the main ownership being in a group of Chicago capitalists, and will not be placed upon the market until thoroughly completed. The United Hotels company, operating the Roosevelt hotel in New York and about three dozen others at various places, including winter and summer resorts and which expects to erect and operate American hotels abroad, had about concluded a deal for a long lease on a great hotel to be erected on the beach front. The same company is supposed to have made the Pine Hills deal possible by agreeing to take over the hotel there on a long lease. The company will operate both houses, immediately increasing the importance of the Bay St. Louis shore. The combined projects will put around \$5,000,000 to work in the Gulf Coast. The Johness Realty company is acting for the prospective purchasers of Pine Hills.

## GRAMMAR GRADES CENTRAL SCHOOL PUT ON PROGRAM

Last Days of School Marked By Entertainment By Pupils of Junior Grades—Community Thanked For Co-operation.

May 26th, Central School grammar grades presented an enjoyable program in the Central school auditorium to a crowded and appreciative house full of people.

The operetta, "The Wedding of Daisy and Buttercup," presented by the Primary department, proved to be a delightful sketch from Fairyland. The children, appropriately dressed as flowers, birds and butterflies, gave a most charming and well-filled their character parts. "The Gypsy Pageant," presented by the third, fourth and fifth grades, was indeed a true picture of a Roman camp, the idea being carried out in all details; the woodland setting, glowing campfire, picturesque costumes, the music of castanets, which accompanied the songs and dances in which the fun-loving and spirited camp took part, made the pageant a pleasing one. The sixth, seventh and eighth grades took part by giving a dialogue, a portrayal of the "six stages of a woman's life" and famous war tunes, presented in costume. Their part of the program was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience.

Friday, May 27th, the Senior class completed its year's work with commencement exercises, which were held in the school auditorium, as follows: Class Salutatory—Clara Ladner. Class History—Steve Stroum. Class Geography—May Blum. Class Will—Herman Ingram. Class Valedictory—Virginia Chapman. Presentation of diplomas. Address—Mr. Carl Marshall. With the formal closing of school, the student body, the faculty and the School Board of Education desires to thank the community and their school friends for their co-operation and friendly interest in all things pertaining to the school, without which the school year could scarcely have been a success.

## MAY PAVE WAVELAND BEACH ROAD

Improvement Suggested By Road Protection Commission Is Announced.

BOND ISSUE OF \$65,000 REQUIRED Subject to Be Put Up to Waveland Voters For Final Disposition.

Speaking in public one evening this week, County Attorney E. J. Gex spoke in authority and stated it was the intention of the Hancock County Road Protection Commission to engage the attention of the municipality of Waveland in the interest of a proposed bond issue of \$65,000.00, with which funds it would be planned to have the Waveland beach roadway hard surfaced.

It was pointed out by Mr. Gex that, since every legal and other technical objections had been removed, the matter of work preceding the actual building of the wall would now proceed without hindrance, and it was the intention of the Road Commission, in order to perform a more lasting job, and to give a better roadway, to seek the assistance of Waveland, since that city will have to build its own roadway, to issue the proposed bonds and hard surface it simultaneously with the construction of the wall.

It is erroneous to believe the county is going to build a roadway or street for Waveland. That was never contemplated, and in the event the wall was built or not Waveland would have to restore its roadway. That it has not done so heretofore is due to the fact of waiting for the completion of proposed seawall.

Hancock county is building the Waveland seawall and monies collected from gasoline tax is going to retire many bonds annually. Waveland, upon its own initiative, attempted to issue bonds for the building of a seawall some time since, but for lack of assessed value the proposed issue could not be underwritten; no bond buyers would buy.

Bids for the construction of the Waveland seawall will be opened on Tuesday, June 14th. The hope is expressed Waveland voters will see their way to make the \$65,000 bond issue possible and that the front road, connecting with that of Bay St. Louis, will be hard surfaced from one end to the other. The hard surface of the seawall alone will not do it in time of high wind and angry water. R. C. Engman is president of the County Road Protection Commission.

## BANKERS VISITORS TO COAST THIS WEEK

Hibernia Bank Club Visited Bay St. Louis Yesterday—Spent Day at Bay-Waveland Club—Canal Banker to Visit Edgewater Park.

Following their usual custom, New Orleans Hibernia Bank club yesterday forsook the city on June 3 for a one-day outing in the cool Gulf breezes at Bay St. Louis. It has been the practice of the Hibernia in the past to hold its annual outing on Confederate Memorial Day, and so successful have they been in the past that the same plans of the past two years are being followed again.

Arrangements were made with the L. & N. for a special train, which left New Orleans at 7:15 o'clock Friday morning. The Bay-Waveland Yacht club threw open to the Hibernia all of their facilities; including their club house, tennis courts and bathing pier.

Approximately over five hundred attended, comprising the employees of the Hibernia bank, their family and friends. George J. Toca, secretary of the B-W. C., was quite busy in the premises and gave a big day yesterday in Bay St. Louis, for the Hibernians, who from recollection of past occasions, seem to have a "warm spot" for "the Bay." The clubhouse is admirably adapted for such occasions, offering comfort and pleasure, to say nothing of the golf bathing at the club's very door.

The officers, executives and employees of the Canal Bank and Trust Company of New Orleans will forget loans and discounts and banking for a day and journey by special train, Saturday to Biloxi, Miss., to enjoy their annual frolic at Edgewater Golf hotel. They will be accompanied by their families and friends.

Dancing in the beautiful lounge ballroom and bathing in the hotel pool and in the Gulf will be features of the day. All the facilities of the exclusive resort, will be at the disposal of the party and indications point to an ideal day of sport and wonderful surroundings. The affair is in the hands of the following gentlemen, who are working hard to make it a success: Albert Dazet, Wm. Higgins, J. J. Shonaker, A. J. Parlongue, L. J. Wetts, Chas. Fernandez, L. W. McFarland, M. Baker, H. B. Caplan, E. M. Nall, Robert Younger, R. Pinches, Chas. Bonneau.

## Services To Be Omitted

Owing to the absence of the rector, who goes to Sewanee, Tenn., to attend the commencement exercises of the University of the South, services at Christ church will be omitted on Sunday, June 5th and 12th.

## TAYLOR SCHOOL ACTIVITY

City School in Ward One Shows Progress and Results During Session.

MRS. STOCKSTILL TO BE SUPERVISOR Award of Gold Medals—Excellent Program—Closing Marked With

Taylor School Parent-Teacher association has done wonderful work this year. The interest shown has helped to make this session the best in the history of the school.

Mrs. Brownell entertained May 3rd an "experience social," and on May 19th an apron sale at the school building. These two events netted about \$25.00 for the P. T. A. treasury.

Award of Gold Medals. Three gold medals were awarded as follows: For essay and general story work, R. E. O'Farrell, Jr., and Geoffrey Bourgeois; for attendance, Genevieve Besancon.

Taylor school still in the splendid work and teachers and pupils are justly proud of the record made this term.

The school and faculty take this opportunity to thank its many friends for material help, all those who furnished magazines and books for library use, especially Miss Moore, for daily papers; Mr. Geo. E. Pitcher for two medals; Mr. Richards for use of chairs; the A. & G. Theater for matinee tickets, and all others who, by kind thoughtfulness, assisted.

Closing Exercises Program. The following program was rendered by the pupils on Wednesday evening, May 25:

Song—By the school. One-act play entitled "A Mother Goose Party," given by the third, fourth and fifth grade pupils.

One-act play, "A Doll Show," given by the first and second grades. Songs and readings were given between the plays.

Warren Laroux gave two of his best vocal numbers, much to the delight of the large and appreciative audience, as was evidenced by the generous applause given him.

No Change in School Faculty. There will be no change in the teaching personnel of Taylor school. Mrs. Stockstill, as principal, will have charge of the third and fourth grade work and Miss Winnie Lee King in charge of primary. Mrs. Stockstill's reappointment to be principal of the R. W. Taylor school is of general interest and particular benefit of the continuation of the good work so auspiciously inaugurated. Mrs. Stockstill in future will have full supervision of the work of the school and, accordingly, as per annual custom, will enter Tulane Normal, June 13th; for the normal course specializing in work of supervising. The work accomplished at the Taylor school is both a credit to the school and a credit to Mrs. Stockstill, one of our professional and best teachers, who has given her very best efforts and intense attention to the work.

## ST. STANISLAUS COMMENCEMENT JUNE TWELFTH

To Occur Tomorrow Week—Class '27 Largest in History of Institution—Thirty-Nine to Receive Diplomas—Event of Unusual Interest.

Tomorrow week, Sunday, June 12, at 11 o'clock, will occur the seventy-third annual commencement of St. Stanislaus College, of Bay St. Louis, Class '27, composed of thirty-nine students, the largest in history.

There will be selection by the orchestra, reading of salutatory, awarding of medals and diplomas, selection by the Glee club, delivery of valedictory and address to graduates. The session drawing to a close has been one of the most successful in the long and well-known history of St. Stanislaus, and Bro. Peter, president, feels justly gratified over the telling results.

Following is the personnel of Class '27: Luke B. Babin, Elmo N. Blaize, Ralph E. Blaize, Leroy D. Bontemps, Henry J. Bonura, John W. Bradley, Anthony J. Brady, Alphonse M. Burke, Vincent A. Burns, Robert A. Carnouche, Frank J. Chalons, Albert D. Diaz del Rio, Foster Fournier, James Gaten, W. Leonard Gray, Samuel J. Greene, Scott E. Hubert, Herbert S. Kenison, Julio L. Kraus, Marcel J. Kremer, James E. LaNasa, Albert T. Leonard, Fernand M. Menou, Murray McCarley, Matthew E. Montz, Arthur S. Naylor, Joseph E. Pinkette, Lawrence A. Reider, Stephen D. Reys, Santiago J. Rinaldo, Marchmont Schwartz, George L. Seuzenneau, John G. Simpson, George J. Slade, Jared A. Thery, Joseph D. Vaccaro, Alfred A. Ware, John W. Waters, Edward J. Zaunbrecher.

## Logtown Contributes to Flood Sufferers

Logtown, generously contributed to the Mississippi valley flood sufferers. People of that place and vicinity came forward with a total of \$777.76 in cash and shipped about 650 pounds of clothing.

## \$5000 AMOUNT NETTED FOR ST. HENRY'S

Benefit For Chapel on Bay-Kihn Road Brings Flood of Money to Treasury.

PUBLIC IS LIBERAL AND CHURCH HELPED Ladies From Bay St. Louis Liberally Assist and College Lends Band.

One of the most delightful events of the past week was the Fair held on the grounds of St. Henry's Chapel on the Bay-Kihn road Sunday evening. The weather was ideal, the day had been hot and many took advantage of the fair to leave the Bay City for a few hours and enjoy the fresh air of the country. This, of course, explains the presence of many of the patrons, but due to the majority of those interested in the fair, for seldom do we find so many enthusiastic workers co-operating in one event. The fact that the interest began a few weeks ago did not lag, but on the contrary, increased as the days passed, until the success of the festival was assured.

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## STATE CONVENTION KNIGHTS COLUMBUS G'PORT TOMORROW

Annual Meet to Be Held at Gulfport Sunday and Next Day—Bay St. Louis to Be Represented—Banquet at Markham Sunday P. M.

Annual convention State Knights' of Columbus will be held tomorrow and the next day at Gulfport, June 5th and 6th, with business sessions and banquet Sunday night at the Markham Hotel.

The program as arranged includes mass at 9:30 Sunday morning at St. John's Catholic church after which the convention will convene for its first session at the hotel at 10:45 a.m.

At 1:30 p.m. the delegates and friends will be taken in automobiles along the coast for a sight-seeing trip. Points of interest from Gulf Hills on the east to Pine Hills on the west will be visited.

The annual banquet will be held Sunday night and a business session Monday morning will precede adjournment of the convention.

Peter Collins, national lecturer for the organization, will be the main speaker at the banquet Sunday night. Other speakers of prominence will include Rev. Leo Fahy, Rev. Father Spengler, Thomas A. McKenna, state deputy for Mississippi, and William J. Guste, state deputy for Louisiana. This is to be an occasion of importance among Coast Catholics who will have an opportunity to hear men prominent in this nation-wide organization.

Bay St. Louis will be represented by Grand Knight A. G. Favre, Past Grand Knight R. S. Saucier, Ed. Arceneaux, alternate delegate, Jos. O. Manray and others, including the local pastor, Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch.

## Beginning Tomorrow

All Catholic churches in this city tomorrow morning will witness the inauguration of the pay-seat system. Pay as you enter and 10 cents for each seat occupied. The plan has been announced and personnel of the different under committees published in these columns, and every arrangement perfected and only awaits the dawn of tomorrow to be put into practice.

## INCREASE NO. METERS BEST ATTESTS COAST'S PHENOMENAL GROWTH

Compilations Show Bay St. Louis With 691 Electric Current Meters, 1924—April, 1927, Finds 860 In Active Use.

LEGION POPPY SALE WEEK-END WENT OVER BIG Local and County Groups Dispose of Many Blossoms. From Flanders Field—A. Palmer Lott, Commander, Voices Appreciation.

The 1,000 poppies were sold in a comparatively few hours. Many more could have been sold due to the thorough organization throughout the county among club girls and boys, Bout Scouts and separate organization of older girls, especially for the occasion and supervised throughout by the Legion. The American Legion is grateful for the splendid co-operation received from everyone over the county. Kihn Logtown, Waveland and Lakeshore functioned perfectly under their local chairmen.

Bay St. Louis disposed of 750 poppies under the able leadership and untiring efforts of Misses Irene Selier, Ethel deArmas, Daisy Bordages and Mr. Grady Perkins, who headed different clubs and groups and Boy Scouts respectively, with Miss Marie Odom as general chairman. To Miss Odom goes much credit for the success of the sale over entire county. She believes next year that 2,000 can be disposed of. All monies are not yet in, but will approach \$100.00. The poppies were made by disabled veterans and proceeds are to be used in welfare and rehabilitation work. Prizes will be awarded by the Legion to the group making best record, when a final tabulation is made. On behalf of the Legion, A. Palmer Lott, local Legion commander, wishes to warmly thank all those who participated in the sale and in the purchase.

Meeting in Chicago Saturday, April 30th, the Supreme Board of Directors of the Knights of Columbus appropriated \$50,000 from the general fund of the Order, for the relief of sufferers in the Mississippi flood. Half of this sum was contributed to the relief fund being raised by the American Red Cross. The other half is being administered by the Knights of Columbus councils within the flooded area. Supreme Knight James A. Flaherty expressed the hope that every American citizen would contribute promptly and generously to the Red Cross fund.

Local Grand Knight Favre and other officials and members as well of the Bay St. Louis council have been deeply concerned in this splendid work, which the country as a whole, has contributed so liberally in this time of dire distress, and the world will learn with satisfaction that so handsome a contribution as \$50,000.00 has been made by the Knights of Columbus.

## KNIGHTS COLUMBUS CONTRIBUTE \$50,000 FLOOD SUFFERERS

Order Is Quite Active in Relief Work Over Flooded Area—Appropriation Made From General Funds By Order of Directorate.

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## Long Beach Bank Opens.

Over two hundred people attended the formal reception Saturday evening, marking the opening of the new Long Beach branch of the Hancock County bank, housed in a beautiful new building of its own, solidly built of brick, steel and concrete, and fashioned by Wm. T. Nolan, architect.

The interior of the bank is unusually attractive and is the last word in bank construction. The building is a masterpiece of modern architecture. The interior is unusually attractive and is the last word in bank construction. The building is a masterpiece of modern architecture. The interior is unusually attractive and is the last word in bank construction. The building is a masterpiece of modern architecture.

## Memorial Day Exercises By Legion.

The local Post American Legion, in a body, decorated the graves of sixteen world war veterans including the resting place of Mrs. Mary Geyer, at St. Mary's cemetery, who so valiantly served on behalf of service men. Crossed flags and flowers were placed on each grave with a fitting ceremony at each one. Extended ceremonies were held over the grave of Clement R. Bontemps, in whose sacred memory the Post is named and who was the first person from Hancock county to sacrifice his life for the cause. To relatives and friends who provided the beautiful floral offerings, the Legion expresses heart-felt appreciation.

## Beautiful Ceremony.

The annual custom of crowning the Blessed Virgin on the last day of May following a month's evening devotions, took place Tuesday at the church of Our Lady of the Gulf, the honor of placing a crown on the brow of a representative of the Savior's mother allotted this year to dainty little Vivian Duestel Prague, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney W. Prague, of Bay St. Louis and New Orleans. Appropriate services, with benediction, included the reading of the act of consecration clearly and properly by young Miss Elizabeth Ames, of Memphis, Tenn., concluded the ceremony.



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Lots of people think they are in love.

Free speech includes the right to disagree.

Money is one evil that most people run to meet.

Keeping up with your work is one way to enjoy life.

Have you seen a peddler in Bay St. Louis this week?  
Where do all the contributors to newspapers come from?

Most people, after going to law, wish they had stayed at home.

One way to get on the front page is to fly over the Atlantic ocean.

Going to church will not make a man better if that is all it amounts to.

Our own dictionary: Intolerance—the failure to believe what we believe.

Some people work so hard to have a good time that they fail to enjoy it.

The idea that humor is a joke on somebody else is not confined to old men.

The month of brides arrives on time and the brides will be on schedule time.

Occasionally the public would like to know who put the "pap" in newspapers.

The modern father has a back seat nowadays, as his young son takes the limelight.

It is a long road that has no end, and the same holds true about newspaper columns.

Any child will agree with the manufacturers of candy who say more candy should be eaten.

You can't make the average sweet young thing believe that longer dresses would be better taste.

The city business men that talk so glibly of the money that can be made on the farms have never tried it.

What has become of the small villages that used to riot every time the home nine locked in mortal combat?

Correct this sentence: "Miss Jones, Mrs. Smith's son is so much brighter than my boy that you should have given the medal to him."

When some people read the baseball scores in the morning paper they think they are keeping up with current events.

The Medical association says that cosmetics are dangerous; any man can supply whatever testimony is needed.

Seeing is believing, according to the old saying, exemplified by modern styles, which leave little to the imagination of man.

The association for the protection of murderers complains that too little space is given first-class killings in some newspapers.

You can have a vacation one place as well as another but few of us count the rest as much value unless it costs a lot of money.

The only trouble with life, as a general proposition, is that by the time an individual gets old enough to have any sense they die.

Now that the year has reached the present stage we are willing to admit that June is a good month to pay up your subscription.

The average head of the house is now doing a little detective work among the members of his family in order to see where he is to be carried for his summer vacation.

After the United States secures experience through the guarantee of a fair election in Nicaragua it might be a good idea to extend the blessings to some of our larger cities.

Does it surprise you that American ships hundreds of miles in the interior of China are fired upon. What would happen to a hostile Chinese warship, riding at anchor where the Ohio joins the Mississippi.

The army is doing much to alleviate suffering in the flood area. Tents for 161,000 people, cooking equipment for 120,000, 132,000 blankets, 97,000 bed-sacks and 26,000 cots is the material aid. Besides, many officers and soldiers are working to relieve suffering.

**CHURCHMEN OPPOSE DRY LAW.**

A novel angle of the prohibition fight was presented last week when the Church Temperance society, composed of Episcopal clergymen, denounced the Eighteenth Amendment as a blemish and asserted that prohibition has had a fair trial and been found utterly wanting.

Clergymen, as a rule, have been before the public advocating more drastic dry laws in the interests of the war against the demon rum. However, the present appeal of the society, it is said, is made in the interests of the same right. The difference of opinion exists over the efficiency of national prohibition, as it exists, as a weapon against strong drink.

There is no reason for other clergymen to denounce the members of the Church Temperance society. They are probably honest in their attitude and are to be commended for their courage in taking the position stated. It can do no harm. Everyone is entitled to express an opinion on the subject.

**LINDBERGH AND PRIZE TAX.**

Now that every red-blooded citizen has yelled himself hoarse in admiration of Charles "Lucky" Lindbergh for his New York-Paris air hop, they can contribute materially—and show just how much they think of him—and how deeply runs their national pride in this great achievement.

It is generally agreed that there is an exception to every rule. Seemingly, Uncle Sam does not know this. The fair-haired hero of the hour had not yet awakened from the ten-hour exhaustive sleep, following those 33½ hours in man's greatest air feat, when Uncle Sam's revenue officers were admitting that they would HAVE to collect \$1,233.75 from the \$25,000 prize money which Lindbergh is to get for making the flight. "It is law—and cannot be dodged," the revenue department announced apologetically.

What does the reader think? Are you in favor of our country indulging in such pinch-ponny methods? We do not. We think Lindbergh should have every cent of that \$25,000—and perhaps another hundred thousand or two from his government for such performance. By his feat he has contributed more to the nation than it will ever be able to repay him. He—with \$2,000 of his own hard-earned money—was the largest individual contributor to the proposed flight. When all others doubted—he put his money on the table—asking help toward a fund with which to purchase an airplane for the history-making flight.

That Lindbergh now finds himself in position to pay the tax—many times over—is a point beyond this discussion. Could anything be more fitting—in addition to all medals, titles and honors that can be hung on him by the government—than that he should have this first \$25,000 prize intact—his nation rejoicing with him that he won; proud of the honor he brought us; happy that he upheld the traditions of a brave people; and, showing by its acts that modesty, courage and the indomitable spirit may always rightfully expect its reward in full from its government.

Write, tell your Congressman what you think.

**TEN DOLLARS—AND LIFE**

Six hundred thousand Americans are homeless. Five hundred thousand are destitute and dependent upon charity for each succeeding meal in the Mississippi valley.

"There was never in our history such a calamity," says Herbert Hoover. Henry M. Baker, Red Cross National Director of Disaster Relief, calls it "the most staggering disaster the country has ever suffered."

Our people still do not appreciate its magnitude or significance, else they would DEMAND for National action.

In the Urgent Deficiency Bill, which fell by the wayside in the recent Congress because of a partisan filibuster, was an appropriation of \$8,600,000 to buy seeds, fertilizer and forage for districts stricken by crop failure.

It was not a crisis item—the flood had not yet happened. It was a routine precaution, such as any prudent Congress would take.

The entire fund of \$5,000,000 at present in sight for the rehabilitation of the half million absolutely destitute victims of the greatest disaster in our history is only a little more than HALF of the emergency sum which Congress meant to appropriate as a matter of course.

This \$5,000,000, bear in mind, is not relief money. The Red Cross has nearly \$15,000,000 with which to feed, clothe and shelter the flood victims during the peak of their suffering. Private generosity has responded magnificently to the call upon its mercy.

Five millions for rehabilitation? Why, it is only \$10 apiece—ten dollars with which to start life anew from scratch and win to comfortable American citizenship in a land where the per capita wealth is three hundred times as much.

And this, while the Treasury at Washington is bursting with idle money. Give these pitiable flood victims a decent life and the future protection to which they are entitled.

**HOW TO ADVERTISE.**

There are merchants in Bay St. Louis who like to talk about advertising. They will tell you of the great things they would do if they had a chance in a large city. They conveniently forget that their job is, do something in Bay St. Louis that will sell merchandise. The best advertising medium in a large city is the newspapers. The best medium in Bay St. Louis is the local newspaper.

Too many merchants, in smaller places than Bay St. Louis, have demonstrated that large businesses can be built on the foundation of attractive advertising in the home town medium.

Somehow, or other, the printed message, in the local newspaper, gets over. The people who read a newspaper look for advertising news as well as other items. The only class of people to supply this news is the merchants who have something to sell. If they hand it out the trade result will be worth while.

Naturally, we think The Sea Coast Echo is a good medium for advertising that is intended to sell goods here. All that we ask is a consistent trial over a fair period of time, with advertising that is attractive and offers something of value. We do not claim that our columns possess magic potency, enabling merchants to palm off out-of-date styles, shop-worn articles and alleged bargains. We do claim that any reputable merchant who will spend annually a reasonable appropriation with us will receive returns for his money.

**HOOVER ON THE FLOOD.**

Secretary Hoover has demonstrated again his great ability as an organizer through his work among the victims of the great flood. As the active representative of the President, and of the American people, he has it appears, done just the right thing in the right way always.

Just before beginning his third swing through the devastated region last week he said that "the number involved in this national disaster has increased to more than 600,000 people; and of these not less than 600,000 have been dependent for their daily bread upon the kindness of their fellow citizens."

It is pathetic! Words fail to express the woeful scenes. Few of us can imagine the actual ruin that has stalked through the flood regions. Now that the waters are receding, at some points, the work of reconstruction comes up. As Mr. Hoover says, "no longer is there the excitement of the catastrophe, the stimulation of heroism, of patience, of fine sacrifice; reconstruction is always the most trying period of disasters."

That is true, not only of the people in the stricken sections, but it also applies to the people in other parts of the country who, under the stress of emotion, in times of grave disasters, show a ready response to the plight of the unfortunate, but, as the danger passes on, forget the need and fail to make a suitable reply to the call for assistance. If you have not already done so, send in a contribution today.

**This Week.**The Best Ad Medium.  
A Sixteen Hour Atlantic.  
New Freedom of Pulpit.  
Shylock Sam in Postoffice.  
BY ARTHUR BRISBANE.  
(Copyright, 1927)

When Uncle Sam advertises, he ADVERTISES. The Treasury announcement, recalling \$1,660,000,000 of Second Liberty Loan four and a quarter per cent. bonds will be published in fifteen thousand American newspapers, daily and weekly.

Mr. Mellon shows good judgment, putting the advertising in thousands of country weeklies and small dailies. In proportion to their circulation, they are THE best bediums.

Before General Mitchell was put out of Army flying, for telling unpleasant truths, he had under way plans for a giant flier, with wheels twenty feet high, that could take a running start over fences and tree trunks.

And this week Professor Rumpier, head of a German airplane company, announced plans for a plane, many times the size of any ever built, to carry many engines, and cross the Atlantic in sixteen hours, carrying 170 passengers.

Transatlantic flight will soon be commonplace, but the little machine must show the way, as did Columbus' little boats.

Miss Spencer, seventy years old, rode to work at the Treasury Department and back on a bicycle, saved and made more than \$100,000. She leaves small sums to relatives and the balance \$100,000, for a tombstone. Relative object, the court is asked to decide.

The foolish waste should be forbidden. But it is interesting to think of that old Treasury clerk pushing her bicycle back and forth, meditating on the grand figure that she would cut in death with her \$100,000 tomb, she who in life had been only a \$1,200 year spinster clerk. Happiness is largely imagination.

It is suggested unofficially that Mr. Hughes, formerly Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, will be chosen by Governor Fuller of Massachusetts as head of a commission to investigate the Sacco-Vanzetti case.

Such a choice would be satisfactory to the country, and the decision conclusive. It is more important by far than executing any two men, to make sure that there was no mistaken or prejudice in conviction.

The views of clergymen each Sunday present interesting contrasts, such as would have been unsafe for the clergymen one hundred years ago. The Rev. Dr. Walter Duncan Buchanan says we are ignorant about heaven and our uncertainty is a blessed thing. It gives us something to hope and work for.

The Rev. Dr. Minot Simons, Unitarian, says we must look for our "compensation" in this life. Old ideas of heaven and hell "are now inadequate and futile."

The Rev. Dr. Stratton says Mrs. Snyder, convicted of helping to murder her husband, is an atheist. She couldn't have committed the crime had she believed in God.

If that is so, there have been atheists in high places throughout history.

Republicans and Democrats are planning a 1928 campaign in which the wet and dry question will be shelved, forgotten.

Some wets say, "If you do, we shall start a third party, dripping wet." That would not hurt the feelings of Republicans, who have decided the Democrats may have the wet issue.

If, as seems likely, a wet Democrat is nominated, the wets will know his wetness and vote for him. A separate wet party would get as few votes now as under the prohibition party used to get, in the old wet days.

Congressman William W. Cohen says the government's treatment of lettercarriers and mail clerks is a disgrace, which is accurate. Mail carriers, underpaid as regulars, and shamefully treated as substitutes.

For the government to compel men, perhaps with children, to waste an entire day waiting for one or two hours' work, and for the richest country in the world to pay its post-office force as miserably as ours are paid, is unworthy.

**The Inquiring Reporter and a Parable.**

The Inquiring Reporter asked five persons, "Would you break the law to give whisky to a friend or relative in case of illness?" All five said they would. It is not often that the Inquiring Reporter gets a unanimous verdict, and quite a number of good people will be appalled at the disregard for law thus disclosed in this community. That reminds us of a story. It reads as follows:

"And it came to pass, as He went into the house of one of the chief Pharisees, to eat bread on the Sabbath day, that they watched Him. And, behold, there was a certain man before Him, which had the dropsy. And Jesus, answering, spake unto the lawyers and Pharisees, saying, 'Is it lawful to heal on the Sabbath day?' And they held their peace. And He took him and healed him, and let him go; and answered them, saying, 'Which of you shall have an ass or an ox fallen into a pit, and will not straightway pull him out on the Sabbath day?'"

They could not answer Him again to these things: 2,000 years ago and second-hand, if you will, today. When law contravenes the good sense and conscience of men generally, it will be broken. If men today, after nearly 2,000 years of Christian teaching, were not willing to violate the law to save life and prevent suffering, we should be astonished indeed. —Chicago Tribune.

Miss Ella Davis, of Jackson, Miss., while out walking sank in mud to her waist and remained in that condition nearly two days before found and rescued.

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S. L. Engman, Agents.Phone 108  
Hancock County Bank**TIME TO SWAT**

THE FLY NOW—

DO NOT DELAY

Dangerous and Germ-Carrying Fly  
Constant Menace—Table of Figures  
Shows How Rapidly Pest Multiplies.

There was a time when the residents of Bay St. Louis did not pay very much attention to the house fly. Of course, they were very annoying but folks took them as a matter of course, and did the best they could about it. Then the health experts announced that flies must go. Death to the fly was sounded with the slogan which has gone from coast to coast in the words "Swat the Fly."

Since that time the fly swatter has been just as essential in the makeup of a well equipped household as the kitchen cook stove or the dining table. Not a house today will be found, but that there are at least one, and probably half a dozen fly swatters. They are distributed at convenient places all over the premises and whenever a fly makes his appearance, there is a rush for the swatter; and the war is on. The battle continues until the fly goes down in defeat, and his carcass goes up in smoke in the stove or fireplace.

At the same time that the campaign for swatting the fly had its advent, there was also the demand that homes should be screened to prevent the flies getting into the house. Practically every home today has its screened windows and doors. Even with these, however, occasionally a fly gets into the dwelling.

Flies are known to have distributed typhoid fever, and many other maladies among the residents of a community, and it is purely on the basis of protecting the health of the community that this great campaign was inaugurated.

With the approach of the summer season, when flies are more plentiful than any other part of the year, dwellers in Bay St. Louis are now giving the screens in their homes the once over. Where they have served their day, new ones are being installed. Where a little repairing will make them as good as new, this is being done. Everybody now is aware of the danger of permitting flies to remain in their homes or even on their premises and everything is being done that possibly can be done to eliminate them. Along with the screens, and the swatters, one will find flypaper and fly traps of all kinds.

The health experts who have learned what a menace the fly is to the human race have prepared a table which shows how fast these pests multiply. With these figures before you, it is plainly evident that there must be no let up in the war waged against them.

Here is the table which shows what a large number of descendants a single fly has within a very short time.

June 1—One fly lays 120 eggs.
June 10—60 flies lay 7,200 eggs.
June 20—3,600 flies lay 432,000.
June 30—216,000 flies lay 25,920,000.
July 10—12,960,000 flies lay 1,555,200,000.
July 20—777,600,000 flies lay 93,312,000,000.
July 30—46,656,000,000 flies lay 5,598,720,000,000.
Aug. 9—2,799,360,000,000 flies lay 335,923,200,000,000.
Aug. 19—167,961,600,000,000 flies lay 20,155,392,000,000,000.
Aug. 29—10,077,696,000,000,000 flies lay 1,209,323,539,000,000,000.
Sept. 8—604,651,760,000,000,000 flies lay 72,559,411,200,000,000,000.
Sept. 18—36,279,705,600,000,000,000 flies lay 4,353,564,672,000,000,000,000.
Sept. 28—4,353,564,672,000,000,000,000 flies.

Swat the fly! Starve the fly! Catch the fly!

**June Dates.**

Interesting Anniversaries That Come This Month.

With the ushering in of the month of June a glance at the calendar reveals several important dates. Some of these dates are worth remembering. Some of them are of more or less sectional importance, however, are connected generally with the history of this nation, and no matter from what section one may come from it is well to have some knowledge of these facts.

First among these dates is June 3, which marks the birth of Jefferson Davis, the first and only president of the Confederate States of America.

Tuesday, June 14, marks the 150th anniversary of the adoption of the Flag of the United States. This date is set aside as Flag day. Betty Ross is credited with having made the first Stars and Stripes. Probably she never did dream of the importance this flag would play in the history of the world. It soon took its place in the fore rank of the nations of the globe, and today the Stars and Stripes is regarded as the flag of the greatest, richest and most powerful country in the world.

On the 15th a total eclipse of the moon is scheduled.

The 17th marks the anniversary of a sectional date in history. This is known as Bunker Hill day and is of considerable importance, especially to the New England section of this nation.

June 22nd is the longest day in the year. It marks the beginning of summer. June 30th, at sunset, begins the celebration of the Mohammedan New Year.

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Catering to Tourist and Transient Trade.

THE FOUR-SEASON HOTEL.

A Most Delightful and Home-Like Resort for Visitors.

Every room an outside room, all with private bath, single and double.

Address H. C. BABCOCK, Manager.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

With the arrival of the latest designs in Tapestry, Silks and Cretonne I am prepared to cover parlor sets as low as \$25.00. Also have a few useful and pretty pieces, footstools, etc., that I will sell at cost.

SLIP COVERS A SPECIALTY.

Window Seats

**W. H. SLINGER**

Cory Corners

**Upholsterer.**

Shop, 109 Toulme St. Residence, 105 State Street.

**A HARD JOB**

It's about as much of a job for a society climber to penetrate the "400" as it is for a Used Car to get access to our display floor. The car MUST HAVE THE GOODS.

BREATH &amp; CUE, Dealers

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A USED CAR IS ONLY AS DEPENDABLE AS THE DEALER WHO SELLS IT

**Monogram Brand TypeWriter  
Ribbons, Better Kind, 1.00 each**







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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

All Announcements Hereafter Are Subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary in August, 1927.

### FOR LEGISLATURE

BYRON RUSSELL

### FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

HON. WILLIAM MEYERS COLMER  
LUTHER M. MAPLES

### FOR SHERIFF AND TAX-COLLECTOR

T. ED. KELLAR  
JOSEPH C. JONES  
CLAUD MONTI

### FOR CIRCUIT AND CHANCERY CLERK

A. G. (RED) FAYRE

### FOR COUNTY SUD. OF EDUCATION

DANIEL J. EVERETT  
LAUS JONES

### FOR SUPERVISOR—BEAT 3.

A. J. BILBO

### FOR SUPERVISOR—BEAT NO. 2

J. B. WHEAT

### FOR SUPERVISOR—BEAT 5.

JOSEPH O. MAUFFRAY  
VINCENT P. MORAN  
DAN FAYARD

### FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE—BEAT 5.

AUGUST SCHIRO  
JOHN A. BREATH  
A. MENDES  
W. H. STARR

### CITY ECHOES.

—Dr. C. M. Shipp attended the graduation exercises at Gulf Park College during the week, where he was a special guest of Dr. Richard Cox, president.

—Messrs. E. B. Spiller and W. Spiller, of Franklin, La., spent a few days on the coast and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hyams on the Waveland beach front.

—Messrs. Cartwright Eustis and Scottie Eustis and Gary Barkley motored over from New Orleans a few days ago for a stay of several days at the family summer home on the Waveland beach front.

—Miss Eleanor May Hyams has returned from a visit to friends at Birmingham, Ala., where she spent two weeks, and is back at the family summer home on the Waveland beach front.

—Mr. T. V. Holleman left this morning for Columbus, Miss., to attend the graduation of his daughter, Miss Nettie, at M. S. C. W., where she graduates with high honors. Miss Nettie will teach at Dublin, Miss., this winter.

—Mr. Val W. Yates, cashier Merchants Bank & Trust company, accompanied by Mrs. Yates, left yesterday by auto route for Macon, Miss., where Mr. Yates will spend his annual vacation, visiting under the parental roof.

—Mr. Raphael Riusech, recent victim of automobile accident, returned a few days ago from King's Daughters hospital at Gulfport, and is at the home of Mrs. Landry (practical nurse), and family in State street, where he will be glad to see his friends.

—Miss Lucie Doize, accomplished young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Doize, residing on the South Beach boulevard, near Washington street, is leaving for Europe on the steamer De LaSalle from New Orleans on June 12th. She will be abroad for three months, after visiting England and France.

—Mrs. (Dr.) A. P. Smith and accomplished young daughter, Miss Beatrice, returned home Thursday evening from New Orleans, where they spent the day. Graduating from St. Joseph's next week, Miss Beatrice plans to leave for New York in the fall to take up the study of dramatic art.

—E. J. Gex has had plans and specifications drawn by Architect Vincent Smith for quite an attractive and roomy dwelling which he plans constructing in Court street for his own family occupancy. Contractors and builders are figuring on the different sets that are put and Mr. Gex hopes to have his new dwelling soon under way. Its completion will mean another acquisition to the upbuilding and material progress of the city.

—Senator Carl Marshall of this city was the principal speaker at the annual commencement exercises this week at Gulf Park College, near Gulfport, in the presence of a large and cultured gathering, including many persons from different sections of the United States. Senator Marshall's address was one of his usual fine efforts and an outstanding feature of the college's annual event. Sixty-odd young ladies received their diplomas from Gulf Park this year.

—Mr. Robt. G. Campbell, of New York City, formerly of Campbell's Island, Hancock county, announces the engagement of his sister, Edna Gordon, to Augustus J. Jones, of Hastings, Florida, formerly of Columbus, Ohio, the wedding to be an event in the early summer. At present Miss Campbell is the banking supervisor and head of the commercial department of the Dawd High school, Jacksonville, Fla. She is charming and accomplished young woman, a native of this section, and the many local friends of the Campbell family will learn of this interesting announcement with pleasure.

—The Ford residence, formerly owned and occupied by C. C. McDonald and family, corner Main and Nicolson streets, was sold Saturday through the real estate agency of A. Palmer Lott for a consideration of \$6,700.00 to Mrs. R. L. Breath, who made the purchase as an investment. Measurements of premises, 116x262.

—Mr. Ford plans to build a new dwelling in the place of his place of business and facing St. John street. Palmer Lott also sold on the same day a lot in St. Charles street belonging to C. C. McDonald to Forest Favre, young son of Joseph L. Favre, who plans to build shortly thereon for his own residence. Measurements of premises, 100x140 and 100x100.

—Work of remodeling and renovating the local L. & N. depot has begun in earnest, and already the old shivered shingles are being replaced with heavy asbestos squares. John Bose, local superintendent, expressed much satisfaction at the progress of the work and is anticipating the time when the entire work will have been completed, for the old building is going to assume an entirely different aspect, to say nothing of the improved and added comforts which are in store. This will be another added improvement to the city. Work of beautifying the grounds is constantly going on and the former wilderness is being gradually converted into a park of combined lawns and flower beds, surely "a thing of beauty and joy forever."

—Invitations received in this city from the faculty and senior class of the University of Notre Dame, Indiana, announce the eighty-third annual commencement, occurring today. Rupert A. Wentworth is a graduate from the College of Arts and Letters, receiving his bachelor of arts degree. He is a former graduate of St. Stanislaus college, a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hart, of Bay St. Louis, and save for the four years at university, has spent all his life in this city. The many friends of the Riusech, Hoffmann and Hart families will learn of this splendid young man's success with more than ordinary interest. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Wentworth, residents of Hattiesburg, his mother, before her marriage, Miss Daisy Riusech.

—By mistake the boulder marking the Jeff Davis highway at the La. Miss. division line was shipped to Pearl river station, on the Southern railroad. Twenty-five miles is the distance from this station to the location of the marker. Messrs. Clem W. Weston and Harold B. Weston were appointed a committee of two by the Bay St. Louis Rotary club to move the boulder (by truck) for the ladies' committee in charge, Mesdames McKimbrough, Whitfield and Ritayik, and to do all things possible to assist them in their patriotic endeavor. It was also moved the club be officially represented at the unveiling of the marker, which occurred yesterday morning. Mrs. Ritayik, of New Orleans, and president of the Daughters of the Confederacy for New Orleans, a summer resident of the Waveland beach front.

—Waveland has never had a more staunch friend than H. S. Weston, president of the Board of Supervisors, through whose individual and official effort considerable credit is due in getting the seawall for that storm-torn and beach-shredded coast resort. It is an important task and one of lasting benefit to Waveland," stated Mr. Weston, "and I am glad to note the County Road Commission is suggesting the issuance of sufficient bonds by the Waveland municipality in order the roadway, tied to the top of wall, maybe hard surfaced. It would mean finishing the job once and forever, an improvement that would attract any number of motorists and others annually and would give Waveland property a value without precedent." The Echo is of the opinion Waveland has never had a chance like the present.

—Lloyd Blake, Waveland beach property owner and whose father's family resided there for well-nigh a generation, favors the proposed bond issue of \$65,000 for hard surfacing the front roadway. "To build a permanent wall and not permanently protect the surface of the roadway behind," states Mr. Blake, "would be building a house without a roof, and I favor the issuance of such bonds, as proposed by the municipal body. The county is doing much for us at present, and it might be well Waveland help itself to the little extent suggested, especially since we are getting a million-dollar seawall without a cent of direct taxation." Mr. Blake could not speak for the voters residing in the rear, who seem to control by their ballot the destinies of our sister city, but he expressed the hope that they, too, would see the light.

—Rev. Grubb, pastor of Christ Episcopal church, was a business visitor to Jackson the early part of the week and is planning to leave shortly for Sewanee, Tenn., to be absent about two weeks, and where he plans to meet many friends and acquaintances from over the country in assembly.

—Mrs. E. J. Leonard returned home Sunday from Houston, Texas, where she was the house guest of Mrs. Edward H. Borden for ten days. Mrs. Leonard was accompanied by Mrs. Albert T. Leonard, her sister-in-law, of New Orleans, who visited relatives in the Texas city.

## Special Services at Main St. Methodist Church.

On Sunday, June 5th, special services for two weeks will begin at the Main Street Methodist Church. Rev. S. P. Harkney, resident pastor, who is an evangelist by reputation, will conduct the meeting, and his preaching is Scriptural and earnest.

There will be no doctrinal sermons, only practical kind which will elevate. Everybody invited, so come and bring some one with you, says Rev. Harkney.

**YES! SUZ FACT**  
"I've just had a harrowing experience."  
"Did you?"  
"Yeah—I was working on a farm and broke up some land."

Hindus dislike the parable of the prodigal son and the fatted calf, as the story is regarded by them as a story of a man who had been a pig.

**Rotary Loving Cup.**  
A report from Chairman E. J. Gex, special committee, Rotary club, appointed to devise ways and means for annual presentation of a loving cup to the one citizen of Hancock who is considered to have accomplished the most good for the public, was read before the club, Wednesday evening, and adopted.

Rules and regulations call for a special committee to be formed according to prescribed rule, to decide to whom the award shall be made, this cup to be presented annually during the month of January. A stipulated sum as purchase price of the cup was stated and every detail seemed to have been well taken care of. It was also stated that no man holding public office or serving the public capacity would be eligible to the cup.

## Dinner-Dance Tonight.

Harbor Inn, at Clermont Harbor, this Saturday evening, witnesses for its opening and dinner-dance at 7:30 o'clock. No formal invitations. There promises quite a number of guests from Bay St. Louis. An evening of unusual pleasure is promised. Dance and dine where 'the Gulf breezes blow.

## Forthcoming Dates.

Tuesday, June 14th, opening of sealed bids by Hancock County Coast Protection Commission for building Waveland seawall.

Wednesday, June 15th, election city of Bay St. Louis to determine whether or not city shall issue \$210,000.00 additional bonds for hard surfacing certain streets.

## EDUCATION ONLY REMEDY FOR RADICALISM.

"Any phrase with a euphonious twist is golden treasure to the radical," says R. H. Ballard, of Los Angeles. "Sixteen to One," "The Billion Dollar Trust," "Muscle Shoals," "Yellow Peril," "Boulder Dam," "Superpower" such are the words he likes, for they make good headlines and tie in nicely with "probe," "lobby," "slush fund," "champion" and the like.

"Radical propaganda is a menace. It is insidious and like guerrilla warfare, extremely difficult to combat. It is always destructive, because constructive ideas are less likely to be phenomenal, are not interesting. A fire is more interesting than a new building; a plague is more interesting than health; divorce attracts more attention than marriage, and it is the wayward minister who gets the publicity."

## IF WE HAD SOME HAM.

Country School Teacher (on a country school teacher's salary)—"If each child will bring an egg to school tomorrow I will show you how Columbus made one stand on end. And if you cannot get an egg, why just bring a piece of ham!"

## IN SOCIAL CIRCLES.

Mrs. H. L. Kergosien, Mrs. Robt. Mitchell and Miss Ethel deArmas were joint hostesses Tuesday afternoon at the Hotel Weston, entertaining at one of the most charming bridge parties of the season. Miss Margaret Green, Mrs. Earl Russell, Mrs. Donald Marshall captured the prizes in the order named. Mrs. H. U. Gentry successfully cutting. This was consolation. Among the guests present were Mrs. D. W. Drackett, Mrs. J. B. Craig, Mrs. H. U. Gentry, Mrs. Roger M. Boh, Mrs. S. F. Gentry, Mrs. E. W. Russell, Mrs. Clem W. Weston, Mrs. Sidney W. Frague, Mrs. Tom Pratt, Mrs. H. C. Glover, Mrs. George E. Rea, Mrs. E. J. Lacoste, Mrs. Owen Crawford, Mrs. Chas. G. Moreau, Mrs. John D. Grace, Mrs. Leo W. Seal, Mrs. S. A. Power, Mrs. R. W. Pepperdine, Mrs. Donald Marshall, Mrs. Chas. Badley, Mrs. Manuel Duvic, Mrs. Winfield Partridge, Mrs. John Bryan, Mrs. Caillivet, Mrs. A. G. Wilson, Mrs. George E. Pitcher, Miss Corinne Gleason, Miss Alma Genin, Miss Lucille duCongo, Miss Irene Selmer, Miss Clara Kergosien, Miss Irene Weston, Miss Lucille Weston, Miss Margaret Green, Miss Vicky Gex, Miss Evelyn Lacoste, Miss Virginia Grace, Miss Alice Palanque, Miss Emma Edwards, Miss Jenny Hunter, Miss Maymie O'Donn, Mrs. E. J. Gex.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kenney, of New Orleans, spending the summer at one of the handsome Cedar Point villas, on the beach front, entertained informally Saturday evening at bridge. Among their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carrere, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Rea, Mrs. E. J. Lacoste, Miss E. Lacoste, Mrs. C. G. Moreau. Prizes to the more successful contestants were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Carrere.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Duvic, of New Orleans, are delightfully located for the summer at the Burbank villa, on the North Beach front, where their attractive home is the frequent scene of social activity.

Mrs. John W. Bryan has hostess Wednesday at her North Beach home to members of a weekly Bridge club.

Mrs. Clem W. Weston has as her house guest her mother, Mrs. Morgan, from Okolona, Miss.

Mrs. S. H. Baker has issued invitations for a luncheon-bridge Monday afternoon at the Hotel Weston. This will be the first formal party and will mark the re-opening of "The Answer" tearoom in Union street.

Mrs. John William Bryan has issued cards for a luncheon-bridge on Thursday next at the Hotel Weston, 12:30 o'clock. Dainty cards carry the invitation.

## Little Business Echoes.

Board of Mayor and Aldermen this evening at City Hall.

George R. Rea and wife will visit in Boston next month, combining business with pleasure.

C. Greer Moore contemplates moving his real estate office to a better and more roomy location.

Cement sidewalks abate the weed nuisance. Would that every sidewalk in the city were paved.

John Osoinach is preparing to renovate and paint the cottage he owns in Court Place, facing the beach.

Frank Cuttler, resident agent Singer Sewing Machine Co., has resigned after several years' service.

Messrs. Breath and Cue have opened their new automobile showroom in the former A. & G. Theater building.

Have you noticed? Another house in course of construction in Bay St. Louis subdivision. And others to follow.

John Osoinach, Bay Mercantile company, plans to visit California this summer, accompanied by Mrs. Osoinach.

Telephone Manager J. J. Hood is back and well and on the job again. This is good news to all who know this excellent fellow.

Dr. Jas. A. Evans plans an early vacation in Tennessee. He says local dentists will take care of his patients with toothache while away.

"The Answer" tearoom and gift shop in Union is opened for business, after a shutdown of several weeks during the "between seasons" dull period.

Henry W. Osoinach, of Memphis, is shortly expected and will take over the active management of the Bay Mercantile company, a task to which he is equal.

Rotary club had an unusually fine attendance Wednesday, with only three absentees, members who were out of the city. This is good news for Arthur. He is a fiend on attendance.

C. C. McDonald gives his employees half day off every Saturday. He says it's a big asset to do so. And closing the business down for half a day each week does no injury to no one.

Hardy F. Mullikin has issued cards announcing he has gone back to his first love, the Southern Seating company, assuming the presidency, and will be active again, after an extended vacation spent in Bay St. Louis.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank one and all for their many kindnesses and attention during the recent illness and subsequent death of our baby. We are grateful and will always remember those who were with us in our time of sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boudreaux.

## THE ROSES OF JUNE.

The blossoms of happiness are everywhere today for these two young people and we hope that not one of them will ever wither or die.

To the young man we would say: "Guard your happiness carefully by living within your means and laying aside some money regularly." Remember the old saying: "When poverty comes in at the door, love flies out of the window."

Come in. We will welcome you.

**Merchants Bank & Trust Co.**  
BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.

## DELICATE LINGERIE

Women are more particular than ever before in the selection of their lingerie. The tendency is more and more toward the most beautiful that can be made in the sheer materials of delicate tints with effective trimming and embroidery. We cater to women who love the distinctive in underwear of every description. We have just what you want.

## THE EXCLUSIVE SHOP,

ANNOUNCING THE OPENING  
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**HARBOR INN**  
CLERMONT HARBOR, MISS.  
OPENING DINNER-DANCE  
**SATURDAY EVENING,**  
**JUNE 4TH**  
DINNER-DANCE TONIGHT, 7 O'CLOCK, \$1.25.  
(Make Reservations Now)  
OPENING RATES—\$4.25 TO \$5.00 PER DAY.  
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American Plan.  
Under the Management of  
**G. J. MEQUET,**  
Well Known in Southern Louisiana by the Excellence of His Creole Cuisine.  
Address Clermont Harbor, Miss.

## Special Evangelistic Services

AT THE  
**Main Street**  
**Methodist Church**

Beginning Sunday, June 5, and running two full weeks there will be special Evangelistic Services each evening at 8 o'clock. Everyone will be welcome regardless of denomination.

**GOOD MUSIC AND SINGING.**  
Mr. Archie Stephens, an Evangelistic Singer and Musician, of unusual talents, will have charge of the music. He wants an adult and children's choir. You are invited to be a part of the choir. Each evening Mr. Stephens will conduct a thirty-minute period of devotional music. There will be congregational singing, Gospel solos and instrumental selections that are different.

**Come On Time and Help.**  
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## EVANGELISTIC PREACHING

Each evening, following the song service, there will be an evangelistic sermon by the Pastor, Rev. S. F. Harkney. He will speak on subjects dealing with the fundamental doctrines of Christianity. These sermons will be connected and you should plan to hear all, beginning at the first.

**His Themes Are as Follows:**

**Sunday, June 5:**  
11 A. M.—"The Most Prevalent Sin of Today."  
8 P. M.—"Salty and Saltless Men."

**Monday, June 6:**  
"What Happens When a Church Really Prays."

**Tuesday, June 7:**  
"Origin and Result of Sin."

**Wednesday, June 8:**  
"Nature and Wages of Sin."

**Thursday, June 9:**  
"Why Have You Been Left on Earth So Long?"

**Friday, June 10:**  
"Digging up Stumps" or "How to Repent."

**Saturday, June 11:**  
No Services.

**Sunday, June 12:**  
11 A. M.—"What Does Saved Mean?"  
4 P. M.—Children's Hour.  
8 P. M.—"How to Be Saved."

**Monday, June 13:**  
"Walk By Faith, Not Sight."

**Tuesday, June 14:**  
"Abraham's Choice."

**Wednesday, June 15:**  
"Lot's Choice."

**Thursday, June 16:**  
"Two Roads Through Life."

**Friday, June 17:**  
"A Vestibule to Hell."

**Saturday, June 18:**  
"A Modern Devil."

**Sunday, June 19:**  
11 A. M.—"Modern Temples"  
4 P. M.—Children's Hour.  
8 P. M.—"Heaven's Attractions."

**Revivals Come Only in Answer to Prayer Made to God By the People of the Church.**  
**DO YOUR PART WELL.**

## SUMMER SCHOOL

Beginning June 6th  
From 9 to 12.

Grammar Grades and  
High School Subjects.

PHONE 249-J.

## JUST LIKE A WOMAN.

She (after a bitter fight)—Well, the only thing left to do is to divide this house in two, you can have one side and I'll take the other.

He—That suits me, what side shall I have?

She—You can have the outside. I'll take the inside.

## HONEST AT LEAST.

Mary went to a fortune teller the other day and asked him when was the best time to get married. Well, he took one look at her and advised her to grab the first chance.

## Have You a House For Rent?

Numerous people inquire at The Echo office most every day of houses for rent. Not seeing any advertised, they naturally think there isn't any, while we notice more than a few signs bearing "FOR RENT" in different parts of the city.

**As a Special Inducement to Convince You Want Ads in The Sea Coast Echo Bring Results We Will Run Your Ad One Time.**

**FREE**

After One Paid Insertion, at Regular Rates, For the Next Two Weeks Only.

We have a large circulation in Hancock County and New Orleans and many of our subscribers depend entirely upon the Classified Section of The Echo to get located in Bay St. Louis, both for the season and permanently.

## THE SEA COAST ECHO

**PHONE 3-J**

WHEN PHONING OR WRITING YOUR CLASSIFIED AD BE SURE TO OMIT NOTHING—GIVING COMPLETE DESCRIPTION

AS PER ABOVE ILLUSTRATION.

## Classified Ads

**FOR RENT.**  
Nicely furnished bungalow of five rooms and bath; 2 bedrooms; screened porch; large shady lot, facing East; only 2 blocks from beach and business section. Rent reasonable, by season or year. No objections to children. Apply to—

**Bring Results.**

## Classified Ads

**FOR SALE, CHEAP.**  
Small Motor Boat in good condition. Calls 2 1/2 hours power. Excellent. Apply to J. D. Mollere, Echo Office, City.

**FOR SALE.**  
Twenty-three Head Choice Work Steers; one new Lindsey Wagon; Yoke Chains. Ready for service.—E. L. Jones, Carriere, Miss. Route 4.

**FOR SALE.**  
45 hens and 7 roosters—excellent White Wyandottes. J. N. Wisner, 912 Beach Boulevard.

**FOR SALE.**  
Desk, chair and leather settee or will trade for chickens. 708 Hancock St.

**FOR SALE.**  
One Red Star Old Stove in good condition. Apply 612 South Front street.

**FOR SALE, CHEAP.**  
Two Bito outboard motors, guaranteed in perfect condition. Apply Chamber of Commerce.

**FOR SALE.**  
Singer Sewing Machine, \$7.50; Davis drop head, \$7.50. 110 North Second street.

**Notice.**  
I will give five dollars to the taxi owner who rents any of my houses for season.

**E. B. MITCHELL,**  
114 Booker Ave.

## NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

State of Mississippi, County of Hancock.  
To J. B. Rotmer and unknown parties in interest in the Estate of A. J. Holmen, deceased, defendants:  
You are hereby commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of Hancock County, State of Mississippi, at the court house in the city of Bay St. Louis, Louisiana, on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1927, to then and there show cause, if any you can, why the final account of A. J. Holmen, administrator of the estate of A. J. Holmen, deceased, filed in cause No. 2338, on the general docket of said court, should not be allowed and approved and be discharged.

Given at Bay St. Louis, June 1, 1927.  
(Seal) **A. A. KERGOSIEN,**  
Clerk of said Court.  
BY **W. J. FAYRE,** Deputy Clerk.